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Subject: FW: Response to Quebec Convoy

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Rob

You were not included on this email from DC Bell.

Please ensure that this is the plan you approved and recommended to DC Bell. If so, please confirm that you have the resources and the operational capability to implement the plan

I need this confirmation as soon as possible – no later than the 5pm briefing today.

Thank you.

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Chief,

for your information.

- 300 vehicles continue to Ottawa but large majority are passenger vehicles, very few trucks.
- They will be directed to interprovincial bridge from highway 50.

- Bridge has been reduced by Ottawa Traffic Service and OPS resources to 1 lane, which is causing considerable traffic congestion.
- Congestion is anticipated to be heavy, and once causing a substantial back up on the Quebec side SQ will divert traffic towards the Bob Guertin arena and attempt to have the convoy remain there.
- Traffic that does come across will be diverted away from the downtown core to east along St. Patrick.
- Any large truck that is part of the convoy which makes it across the bridge will be subjected to a CVOR inspection, resources dependent
- All traffic resources have been diverted away from the planned enforcement activity to traffic mitigation.
- The situation relating to the Montreal contingent is being monitored and if they set out towards Ottawa, similar mitigation strategies will be put in place.

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